



PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 33413/US (467167-11)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<p>In re application of:  RENZI, et al.  Serial No.: 10/633,871  Filing Date: 4 AUGUST 2003  For: <b>PORTABLE APPARATUS FOR SEPARATING AND DETECTING TARGET ANALYTES</b></p>	<p>Examiner: TBD  Group Art Unit: TBD  <u>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</u>  I hereby certify that this correspondence and its listed enclosures is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail addressed to Commissioner for Patents; P.O. Box 1450; Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on <u>March 3, 2004</u>.  Signed <u>Wendy Wilson</u> Wendy Wilson</p>
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to Examination, please amend the application as indicated on the following pages. A Declaration referencing this Preliminary Amendment is enclosed herewith.

Enclosed is our check to cover the cost of added claims not already paid for. While Applicant believes that no further fees are due at this time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due as a result of filing this amendment, including additional claims fees not already paid for, or other fees that have not been separately paid, to Deposit Account 50-2319 (Order No. 33413/US (467167-11)).